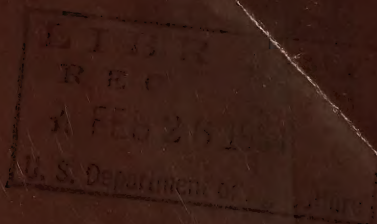


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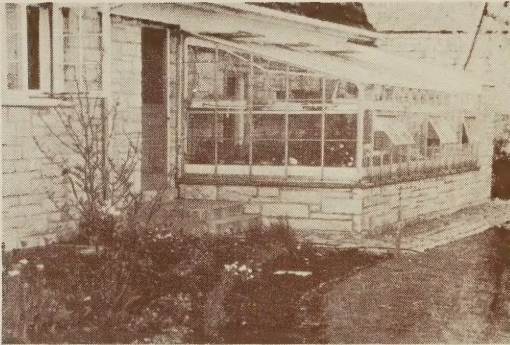
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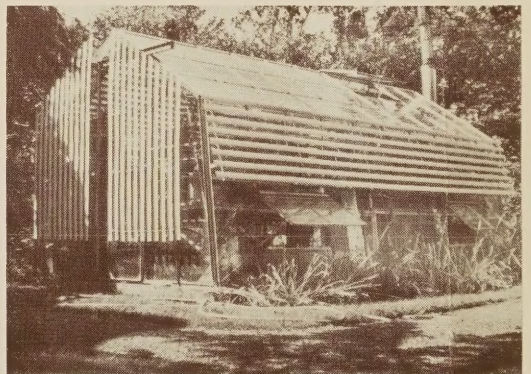
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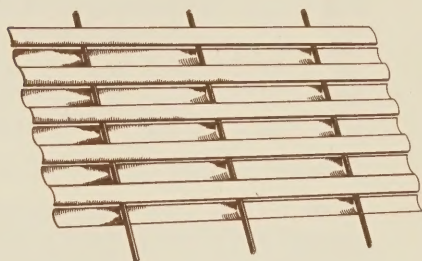
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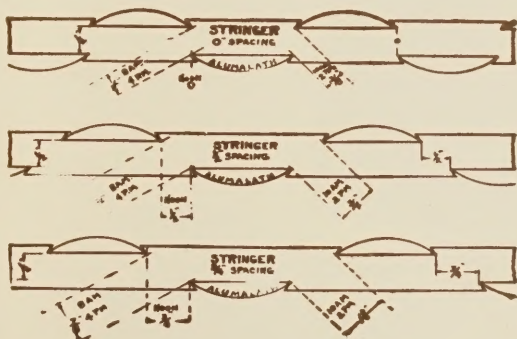
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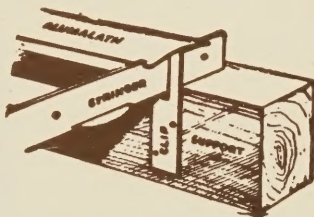
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20. **Sage—Broad Leaved.** Perennial. The leaves are used fresh or dried in sauces and stuffings.
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57. **Mammouth Choice Mixed.** These are Cregos with immense feathery heads of loosely twisted petals, resembling the finest Japanese chrysanthemums, on stiff stems, in shades of pink, rose, scarlet and blue, as well as white. Pkt. (120 seeds) 25c.
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61. **Orange King Improved.** Glowing orange double 4½ ins. across.

SUMMER CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Pkt. (400 seeds) 15c.

64. **Single Tricolor mixed.** Flowers beautifully zoned with multi-colored bands. Plants of easy culture, doing best in fairly heavy soil.

CLARKIA

Pkt. (4,000 seeds) 15c.

66. **Finest double mixed.** Dainty double flowers reminiscent of those of the almond, in shades of pink, salmon and crimson-scarlet. Does best where Summers do not get too hot.

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Pkt. 15c.

67. **Double Blue**, 3½ ft., true cornflower blue shade. (250 seeds)
136. **Jubilee Gem.** All-America Silver Medal Winner. The world-famous dwarf blue double, bushes only 1ft., high. (100 seeds)

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80. **Royal Blue**. An old favorite, long stalks, 6 ins. tall.

GYPSOPHILA Pkt. (3,000 seeds) **15c.**

74. **Pure White**. Annual Baby's Breath.

MIGNONETTE (*Peaches and Cream*) Pkt. (500 seeds) **15c.**

79. **Bismarck**. Deepish red. Grown for its charming fragrance.

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82. **Miss Jekyll Dark Blue**. Pretty old-fashioned double blue flowers nestling among feathery foliage.

SCABIOUS (*Pincushion Flower*) Pkt. (100 seeds) **15c.**

The stamens of some varieties are light in color by contrast with the petals and stick out like pins in a cushion. Easy to grow.

137. **Black Prince**, deep maroon, gave scabious its name of Mourning Bride.

138. **Blue Cockade**, clear azure blue, blooms almost conical.

139. **Cherry Red**, pleasing, unusual shade.

SCARLET SAGE (or *Salvia*) Pkt. (50 seeds) **25c.**

91. **Blaze of Fire**. Early bloomer, 1 ft. tall.

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99. **Large Flowered Mixed Colors**. Resemble violets but are larger and the colors include yellows and white besides many two-color combinations. Indispensable in the Spring garden. Treat as biennial.

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AUBRIETIA (*Rainbow Rock Cress*) Pkt. (300 seeds) **25c.**

59. **Semi-double Hybrids**, forming spreading masses of purple, mauve and lilac blooms in beds, rock gardens and dry walls.

CANTERBURY BELL (Biennial Campanula) Pkt. (2,000 seeds) **15c.**

62. **Cup-and-Saucer** Canterbury Bells in mixed colors. The extra large calyx of the same color as the cup-shaped corolla produces the effect of a saucer under a cup.

CHEIRANTHUS (Siberian Wallflower) Pkt. (350 seeds) **15c.**

143. **Allionii Orange King.** Blooms profusely with fragrant blossoms during May and June. Best grown as a biennial.

DIANTHUS (Hardy Garden Pinks) Pkt. (250 seeds) **15c.**

88. **Highland Hybrids.** A strain of sweet-scented pink. 1 ft. tall, strong-stemmed with flowers in varied colors; will bloom the first season if sown early.

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144. **Lady Stratheden.** Golden yellow.

73. **Mrs. Bradshaw.** Fiery scarlet.

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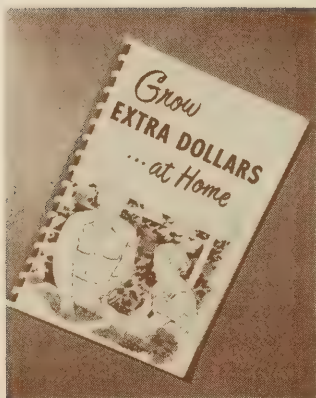
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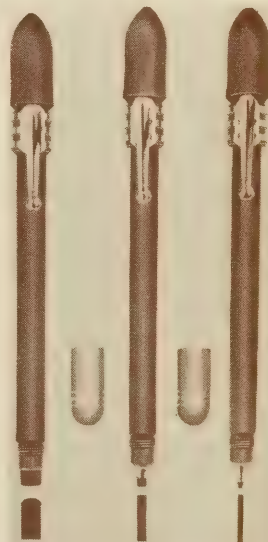
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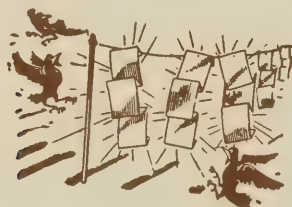
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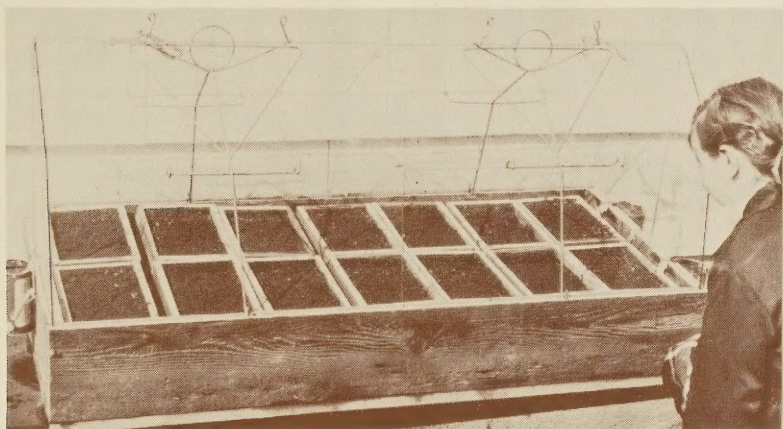
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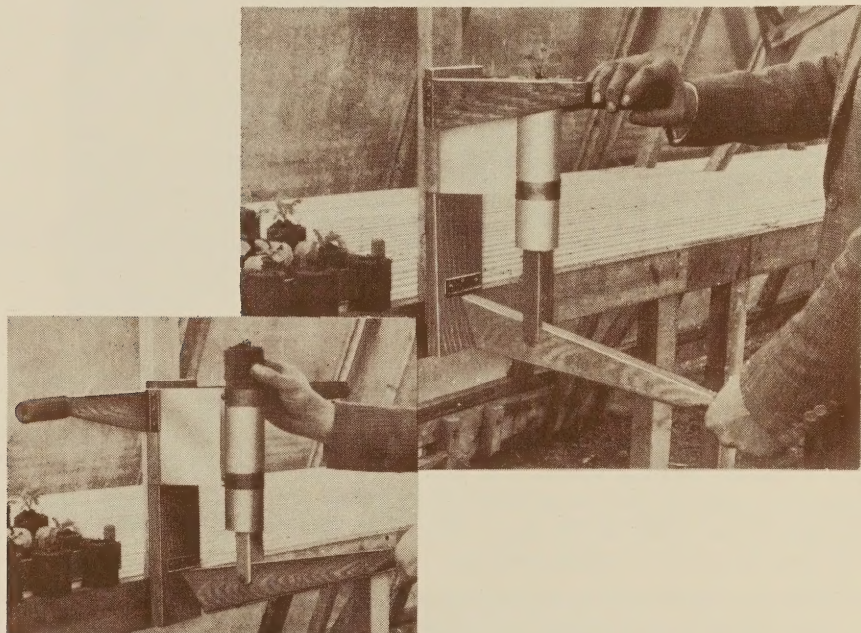
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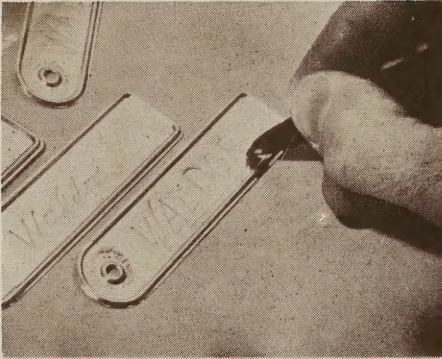
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